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—Authorized Capital £2,000,000—

Subscribed Capital £2,500,000—

Paid up Capital £2,437,500

II—Fire Fund £3,887,047

III—Life & Annuity Fund £1,667,530

Sinking Fund Account £125,350

£23,970,387

Revenue Fire Branch £2,381,458

Life and Annuity £4,161,693

Branches £37,239

Revenues Marine Department £75,940

Other Receipts £26,336,228

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OWNERS OF DOMESTIC BUILDINGS.

TAKE NOTICE that under No. 5 of the  
DOMESTIC BUILDINGS ACT, 1901, and  
under the EYE-TESTING ACT, 1901, every  
Domestic Building or part of  
such building within the EASTERN  
Division of the City of Victoria, occupied  
by Members of more than one family,  
except those within the European Reser-  
vation or in Bowdon South (i.e. Austin  
Road or those parts of a Domestic Building  
used as a Shop, Office or Godown, must be  
CLEANSED and LINENWASHED  
THROUGHOUT by the Owners during the  
months of October and November.  
The said Act requires that the said  
Sewerage and Water Boards used in this  
Notice means that the houses should be  
cleaned in respect of all the Walls of  
the Rooms, all Ceilings, Partitions, Stair  
Casing and Stair Linings, all Caddings and  
the Underneath of Floors in Main  
Buildings, Offices and Servants' Quarters  
and in the case of the said  
The Backyard must have its Containing  
Walls Linenwashed up to the level of the  
First Floor.  
Carved, Painted or Polished Woodwork  
in good condition, however, need not be  
linenwashed, but must be Cleaned.  
The EASTERN Division of the City  
is bounded on the West by Chinatown  
and East Street, Kowloon is divided into  
the EASTERN and WESTERN Divisions  
by Nathan Road and a straight line drawn  
from the North and through the Yammai  
service area, to the Northern Boundary  
of Kowloon.

W. BOWEN ROWLANDS,

Secretary.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1915.

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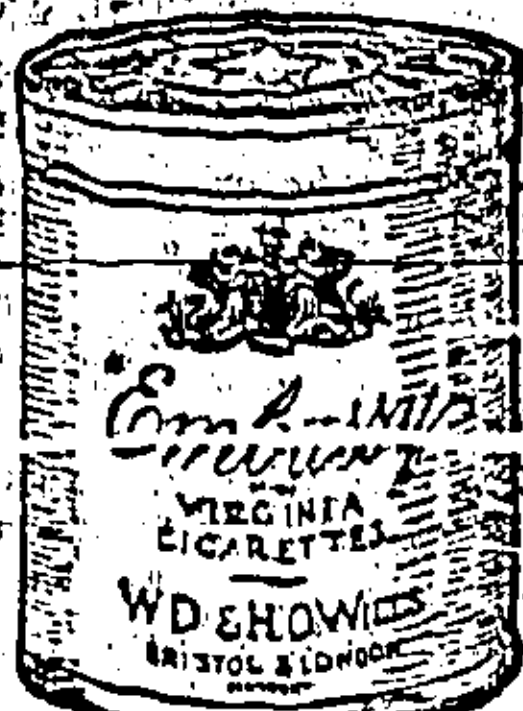
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which is necessary  
in an enjoyable  
Cigarette.



That's why  
"EMBASSY"  
VIRGINIA No. 77  
has been justly  
described as  
THE CIGARETTE  
DE LUXE.

## THE COURT MARTIAL.

"Ecce!" said the young man slowly,  
burying his head in the cushions. "do they  
still call me the mad squire in the village?"

"I believe so, sir."

"Curious, isn't it?" The old retainer  
answered nothing. He was looking out of  
the window. Suddenly he stiffened.

"Charitable, I should say," he answered  
sharply. The young man on the divan  
tensed quickly.

"What the devil—" he began but the  
old butler cut him short.

"I think, sir, that I've held myself in  
long enough, and that because whenever  
I've felt I must speak I've remembered  
your father. Mad squire, is it? My God,  
if he lived to see this!" The old man's  
voice broke.

"This is amazing," came the voice from  
the divan. "positively amazing. Yet I'm  
not sure it isn't less surprising than usual.  
I am your idea of a failure, eh, Eccles?"

"You've been reading of some commercial  
labourer, I suppose, who has risen to be a  
major by the old rule."

"I've known, sir, that isn't that."

The old man turned towards the door.

"Ah—" you think I ought to be  
fighting, eh? Surely

you know that there's not a doctor in Eng-  
land that would laugh at me!"

"And why, sir, and why?" the old  
man's voice trembled. "Do you think your  
nerves and your health would have gone if  
it hadn't been for . . ."

The old man stopped.

"Well," said his master "if it hadn't  
been for . . ."

"Your filthy life," came in a low voice  
from the door.

"Well, I never!" drawled the voice  
from the divan.

"Would have thought the old man had  
been more at home in his own house."

"I'm sorry, Eccles."

"I remember nothing, sir, except that  
there's no more worthless man in England  
to-day than you—though you are a  
baronet."

"Ah, well," came the answer, "the  
poor fellow was misunderstood, except  
by the stage."

"It is easy to be cynical at your age,  
sir." The young man laughed.

"It is easier to be moral at yours, my  
dear Eccles. I suppose you want a  
month's notice, eh?"

"The young man nodded."

"Mean while, Eccles," he said, "mean-  
while—bring me a—"

"Cognac."

For some time Sir David Poyne sat  
rather appalled on the divan, sipping his  
cognac. After all, he thought, he had had  
a damned good time. There wasn't a vice he  
couldn't have written a jolly good article  
on. If he tried . . . His eyes wandered  
round the room on the portraits of his  
ancestors, that ridiculous suit of armour by  
his father . . . the very devil of a  
fellow he had been. Had he had his affairs  
too . . .

But he did let his mind run on  
in that groove. Then there was old Guy  
and Eccles, that ridiculous suit of armour by  
his father . . . that still hand sticking  
out with the lace still in it . . . he  
must have been a hefty old devil  
old Guy. But, damn it . . . he couldn't  
look like that . . .

The young man turned away  
and Eccles followed him.

Those confounded nerves of his played  
the devil sometimes. Perhaps he had been  
a bit extravagant with life . . . but  
you can't count on a thing like that.

"Can you?"

"He caught sight of the  
suit of armour again, and sprang quickly  
up. He walked to the window quickly,  
nervously. "What's wrong?" he muttered  
to himself. "What's wrong?"

Suddenly his eyes filled with tears—hot,  
volcanic tears. He brushed them away  
impatiently. But they came again. He  
strode back to the divan, and flung himself  
face downwards on the cushions.

His shoulders shook convulsively.

"Nerves," he kept saying, "nerves."

There came a knock at the door, and he  
jumped up.

"Eccles came in."

"What's the matter?"

"The doctor's here."

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THE WOMAN OF  
MIDDLE AGE.

Soon after reaching the age of forty  
almost every woman has reason to grow  
anxious about her health.  
This time of trial, with its attacks of  
faintness and palpitation, its of terrible  
depression, its of headaches and back  
pain, nervous fears and emotions, is  
highly dreaded by the weaker sex, but  
with proper care, no serious ill-effects will  
arise. At this turning point of life Dr.  
Williams' Pink Pills have given a helping  
hand to many thousands of distressed  
women who were fighting a hopeless battle  
against sickly health and waning strength.  
The best help for any woman who has  
reached the "fateful forties" is the health-  
help given by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.  
They have a valuable strengthening effect,  
drawing from the fact that they restore  
the blood supply, enriching and purifying  
the blood, so they help to nourish the  
starved overtaxed nerves and give new  
strength to the vital organs. By this  
natural process all pains and weaknesses  
are completely dispelled and a healthy  
happier condition of health and spirits  
arises.

Loss of time: start Dr. Williams' Pink  
Pills to-day and begin to get well. Most  
dealers sell them; or direct from Dr.  
Williams-Medical Co., 90, Soochow Road,  
Shanghai. 1 bottle for \$1.50, 6 bottles  
\$8—post free.

"Gentlemen," he said, "you have my  
answer. You may not be too late to see  
the sentence—carried out."  
He seemed exhausted and it was a  
moment before he spoke again.  
"Look on me, sir," began Miles.  
"Ring the bell, gentlemen," whispered  
the baronet. "The court-martial is at an  
end."

The policeman, a quicker-witted man  
than the rest, strode forward to the bell-  
rope. He could see something was wrong.  
It was all right, sir," he began, and pulled  
the rope.  
The revolver smoked in the mailed fist  
of Sir Guy de Poyne. The court-martial  
was over.

—Toga Armit, in the Evening Standard.

## SMUGGLING IN CALCUTTA.

Ten Thousand Rupees Worth of Opium.

Last week-end a record seizure of  
opium was effected on board the steamer  
Lai Sang, lying off Esplanade moorings,  
the value of the opium seized being about  
Rs. 10,000, says the "Englishman" of  
October 28.

It appears that Mr. Minors and Mr.  
Tocher, two Customs Preventive Officers,  
seeing ten suspicious-looking cases on  
board the steamer, had them opened and  
found that they contained ten large cakes  
of opium, weighing altogether three and  
a half maunds, carefully concealed among  
some resin. The cases were addressed to  
a person in Hongkong, although the  
name of the consignee did not appear.

This seizure is a record one. Twenty  
years ago a record was established when  
a seizure of two maunds and eight seers  
was made by Mr. O. L. West. Then  
Mr. Chaplin, six years ago, after several  
good seizures, made a big haul of two  
maunds and fourteen seers. This seizure  
by Messrs. Minors and Tocher is thus the  
largest on record.

Continuing their search on Tuesday,  
the Customs Preventive Officers seized  
another ten seers of contraband opium  
on board the Lai Sang. Five seers of  
opium, valued at about Rs. 400, were  
found secreted in the arms of an easy-  
chair, four seers on the person of a  
coolie who appears to have been in league  
with a Chinaman; while in another in-  
stance half a seer of opium was seized  
in the possession of a Chinaman.

CONNECTIONS WITH STRAITS.  
An "Englishman" representative was  
told by a high Customs officer that the  
smuggling trade in opium is now on  
the increase, owing to the importation of  
opium to China being prohibited by the  
Chinese Government. It is more than  
probable that this trafficking in opium  
is still in its infancy, and most probably  
the smugglers' efforts will increase as  
time goes on; but the Customs officers  
are all working with redoubled energy  
in order to suppress it.

The question may be asked as to where  
the smugglers get their opium from. A  
Customs officer, who has spent the better  
part of his life in combating the smug-  
gling of opium and other drugs, stated  
that there is a large band of men, the  
leaders of which are wealthy and influ-  
ential men, mostly of the Peshawari tribe.  
These men have their agents all over the  
country, buying opium at cheap rates,  
systematically sending it on to Calcutta,  
and finally giving the opium into the  
hands of Chinamen and Chitagonians in  
Calcutta who export it to Hongkong and  
Singapore, enormous profits being made  
by all concerned.

It is also believed that the trade has  
been largely increased of late that they have  
a system of "even" shipping to  
England, thus evading detection, and  
from England transshipping the drug to  
China and the Straits Settlements.  
From this it will appear that the en-  
deavour of the Customs officers to check  
the smuggling, is no light task. The  
method by which they manage to capture  
the right parcel containing opium is a  
secret of their own.

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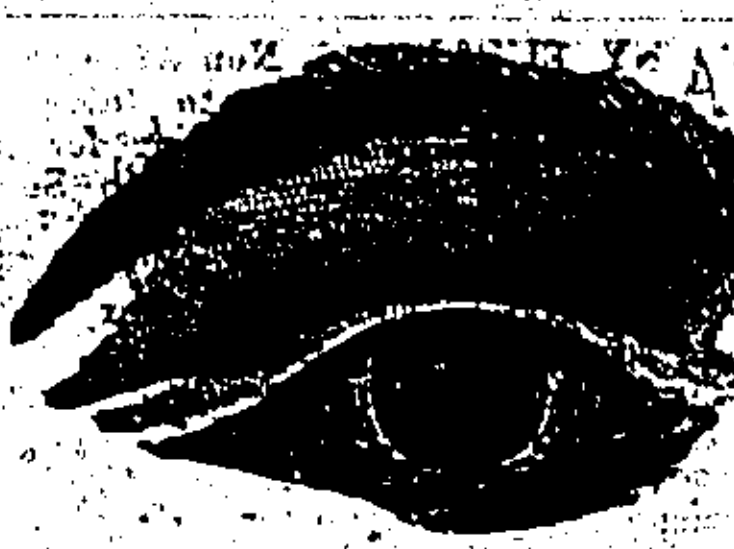
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on

**SATURDAY**

the 27th November, 1915, at 11 a.m.,  
at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,  
Des Vaux Road, Corner of  
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A large number of pairs of Gent's Boots  
and Shoes, Suit and Over Coat Lengths,  
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A number of lots of Brass Ware, including  
Large Bells, Bells, Incense Burners,  
Vases, etc., etc.

TERMS—As usual.  
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Auctioneers.  
Hongkong, Nov. 23, 1915. 1004

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

on

**TUESDAY**

the 30th November, 1915, commencing at  
2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,  
Des Vaux Road, Corner of  
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cass., etc., Dinner, Tea and Coffee Services,  
Crockery, Glass and E.P. Ware, 2 Cooking  
Stoves, Cutlery, Brass Fenders, Curtain  
Poles, etc., etc.

Two Pianos (in good condition) (One by  
Broadwood and Sons), Electric Reading  
Lamp and One large 4-Fold Blackwood  
Screen, Blackwood Furniture, &c.  
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TERMS—As usual.

**HUGHES & HOUGH,**  
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Hongkong, Nov. 25, 1915. 1011

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

on

**WEDNESDAY**

the 1st December, 1915, at 2.30 p.m.,  
at their Sales Rooms, No. 8,  
Des Vaux Road, Corner of  
Ice House Street.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF  
VALUABLE DIAMONDS  
JEWELLERY, SILVER WARE,  
IVORY, GRASS CLOTH,  
&c., &c., &c.,

much of which was originally intended  
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As follows:—  
Lady's and Gent's Half-marked Gold  
Watch, Gold Pendants, Rings, Brooches,  
Scar Pins, Licks, Jadestone Ornaments,  
and 2 Ivory Billiard Balls, &c., &c.,  
A large assortment of Silver Goods, Amber  
and Jadestone Beads, Glass Cloth Dressers,  
Blouses, Table Covers, Bedspreads and  
Cushion Covers, &c., &c., &c.

A number of Gold Rings set with  
Precious Stones, "Diamond and Ruby",  
Diamond and Sapphire, etc., etc.

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UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF  
CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an  
EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING of the Union Insurance Society  
of Canton, Limited, will be held at the  
Head Office of the Society, No. 2 Queen's  
Buildings, Ice House Street, Victoria, in  
the Colony of Hongkong, on SATURDAY  
the 4th day of December, 1915 at 12 o'clock  
noon for the purpose of considering, and  
if thought fit, passing an Extraordinary  
Resolution the following Resolutions, that  
is to say:—

1. "That the Capital of the Society be  
increased to \$4,000,000 (Four  
million Dollars) by the creation of  
3,600 (Three thousand six hundred)  
Additional ordinary shares of \$250  
(Two hundred and fifty Dollars)  
each (whereof \$100 (One hundred  
Dollars) shall be credited as paid  
up) ranking for dividend and in all  
other respects pari passu with the  
existing ordinary shares of the  
Society; and that the said addi-  
tional shares, so far as shall be  
necessary for the purpose, be issued  
to those Shareholders of the China  
Fire Insurance Company Limited  
who have accepted or shall accept  
the Society's offer made to them on  
the 4th day of August, 1915—such  
issue being in accordance with the  
terms of a contract or memorandum  
in writing made or to be made  
pursuant to the said offer and to be  
filed with the Registrar of Com-  
panies; and that the balance (if  
any) of the said additional shares  
be disposed of by the Society's  
Board of Directors in such manner  
as such Board shall think most  
beneficial to the Society."

2. "That Article No. 9 of the Society's  
Articles of Association which now  
reads:—  
"The Society shall have a first and  
paramount lien upon all the shares  
of any shareholder for all monies  
due to the Society either from him  
alone or jointly with any other  
person and where a share is held  
by more persons than one the  
Society shall have a lien thereon  
in respect of all monies so due to  
it from all or any of the holders  
thereof."  
be eliminated in its entirety and  
that in lieu thereof the following  
new Article be inserted as Article  
No. 9:—

3. "That the Society shall have a first and  
paramount lien upon all the shares  
registered in the name of each  
shareholder (whether solely or  
jointly with others) and upon the  
proceeds of sale thereof, for his  
debts, liabilities and engagements,  
and solely or jointly with any  
other person, to or with the  
Society, whether the period for  
the payment, fulfillment, or dis-  
charge thereof shall have actually  
arrived or not, and no equitable  
interest in any share shall be  
created except upon the footing  
and condition that Clause 3A  
hereof is to have full effect. And  
such lien shall extend to all  
dividends from time to time  
declared in respect of such  
shares."

4. "That after Article No. 34 of the  
Society's Articles of Association  
the following new Article be inserted  
as Article No. 34A:—  
"Save as herein otherwise provided  
the Society shall be entitled to  
treat the registered holder of any  
share as the absolute owner thereof,  
and accordingly shall not  
recognise any equitable or other  
claim to or interest in such share  
on the part of any other person,  
firm, Company or Corporation."

5. "That in the following Articles  
of the Society's Articles of Associa-  
tion, viz:—Articles Nos. 2, 7,  
17, 25, 36, 47, 53, 55, 56, 58, 61,  
102 and 123 the word "Secretary"  
wherever it occurs, be eliminated  
and that in lieu thereof the words  
"General Manager" be inserted."

Should the above Resolutions be passed  
by the requisite majority, they will be  
submitted for confirmation as Special  
Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary  
General Meeting which will be subsequently  
convened.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1915.  
By Order of the Board,  
**C. MONTAGUE EDE**  
Secretary.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an  
EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING of the China Traders' Insur-  
ance Company, Limited, will be held at  
the Head Office of the Company No. 2  
Queen's Buildings, Ice House Street,  
Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong on  
SATURDAY the 4th day of December,  
1915 at 12.15 o'clock in the afternoon for  
the purpose of considering, and if thought  
fit, passing an Extraordinary Resolution  
the following Resolutions, that is to say:—

1. "That Article No. 9 of the Company's  
Articles of Association which now  
reads:—  
"The Company shall have a first  
and paramount lien upon all the  
shares of any shareholder for all  
monies due to the Company either  
from him alone or jointly with  
any other person, and where a  
share is held by more persons  
than one the Company shall have  
a lien thereon in respect of all  
monies so due to it from all or  
any of the holders thereof."  
be eliminated in its entirety, and  
that in lieu thereof the following  
new Article be inserted as Article  
No. 9:—

2. "That the Company shall have a first  
and paramount lien upon all the  
shares registered in the name of  
each shareholder (whether solely  
or jointly with others) and upon  
the proceeds of sale thereof, for  
his debts, liabilities and engage-  
ments, and solely or jointly with  
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sequently convened.

Dated this 22nd day of November 1915.  
By Order of the Board,  
**C. MONTAGUE EDE**  
Secretary.

# AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

on

**THURSDAY**

the 2nd December, 1915, at 2.30 p.m., at  
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# THE STORMING OF LONE

PINE.

## HEROISM OF AUSTRALIANS.

The following is taken from an article  
written by Captain C. E. W. Bean, the  
official press representative with the Im-  
perial Forces in the Dardanelles, and is  
issued by the High Commission for Aus-  
tralia.—About the beginning of August it  
was decided to send the First Australian  
Infantry Brigade against Lone Pine.

The attack was timed for 5.30 in the  
afternoon. It was the chance of the First  
Brigade—the men from New South  
Wales. "Show them what the old Third  
Battalion can do this time," said one of  
them, smiling down from his perch be-  
neath the parapet. An officer crouched  
under the parapet, looked down at his  
wrist-watch. "Get ready to go over,"  
he said. The men on the step with him  
crouched up a little closer to the parapet  
in order to get a quicker spring. Those  
in the trench below rested a hand upon  
the step or got their foot hold on it. In  
the front trench of all, hidden from us,  
was the brigade major. He had a care-  
fully checked watch and a whistle. Sud-  
denly there sounded a whistle, taken up  
from a score of different points. The  
officer in our recess had sounded his and  
was clambering out over the duty sand-  
bags. The whole population of that re-  
cess was scrambling up on to the step  
and over the top, knocking down showers  
of earth. The khaki figures were racing  
towards that long low mole-hill in the  
scrub with the ugly, dark, half-concealed  
shadow of the loopholes low down on the  
earth's surface. Every Australian wore  
white bands on his sleeves and a square  
white patch on his back, and the whole  
headland seemed full of white patches  
hurrying towards the sand mounds op-  
posite.

One had expected that when the troops  
arrived on the other side they would fire  
into the trench for a moment and then  
jump into the space they had cleared.  
But the white patches did not jump in as  
they came to the enemy's trench. They  
gradually strung out along it, standing  
up as men might string out along a kerb  
when they run up to see a street proce-  
sion. Those who came up from behind  
poked along among their comrades until  
they found a place, and then they stood  
there, too obviously puzzled. As a mat-  
ter of fact they had found themselves  
looking down not into a trench but upon  
a very solid roof, made of logs with  
withered boughs and earth spread over  
them. Some of those timber were nine  
by six, and there was no mere chance of  
pushing them down than of pushing in  
the roof of a church. The first two lines  
were stopped there, puzzled what to do.  
Sniper had begun to rain by this time,  
machine-guns were spitting from the  
loopholes—some who happened to find  
small gaps in the line of headcover, in  
front of them jumped down there and  
began to work into the dark shelters un-  
der the headcover where the Turks were  
—others went on over the first trench  
and even over the second trench and into  
communication trenches which had no  
headcover over them but through which  
the Turks were fleeing—for prisoners say  
and there is no doubt of it, that the Turks  
are afraid of the Australians. Others  
noticed that in the solid roof in front of  
them, near the edge where the loopholes  
are, there were manholes left at inter-  
vals, apparently to allow the listening

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BY TELEGRAPH.  
THE WAR.

[Reuter's Service to the China Mail.]

RENT OF SMALL DWELLINGS IN ENGLAND.  
BILL TO RESTRICT ITS INCREASE.

LONDON, Nov. 25.

In the House of Commons Mr. Walter Long, President of the Local Government Board, introduced a war measure to restrict the increase of rent on small dwellings or the rate of interest, etc., on such dwellings. He said there had been bitterness, especially in some of the munition areas, on account of the high rents, owing to the inevitable shortage of houses. The Bill will apply particularly to the populous districts and the general standard will be the pre-war rate.

IN POSSESSION OF LOTTERY  
TICKETS.

An old man and a small boy were charged before Mr. Hazeland at the Magistracy this afternoon with unlawfully possessing 13 tickets in the Sam Piu lottery.

Mr. E. W. Goldring defended.

Inspector P. O'Sullivan, answering his Worship, said the tickets were found in the possession of the small boy, who was taken to the station, where he made a statement that the tickets were given to him by the other defendant. Witness sent for the man and asked him to come along, but he had to send two or three times. The house was never searched so far as he knew.

Mr. Goldring: According to my client the house was searched twice.

Inspector O'Sullivan: If there was any search I do not know it. No tickets were found there.

Mr. Goldring: I understand that six tickets were found under the bed.

Inspector O'Sullivan: Nothing at all was found in the defendant's house.

A lukong gave evidence of seeing the boy with the tickets.

Inspector O'Sullivan said that no search warrant was issued.

Mr. Goldring: It is very difficult, as my client says two lukongs and the small boy came back with a piece of paper.

Mr. Goldring added that he believed that the boy and his mother came down to Hongkong at the time of the floods.

Giving evidence the boy said that some tickets were found under a bed and the other defendant gave him other tickets. He only had five tickets but the lukong put some more tickets into his pocket.

Mr. Goldring, addressing the Court, said the boy came down from the country during a time of great distress in the country. He submitted that the selling of the tickets did not come within the scope of the Ordinance. What probably happened was that the man gave the boy the tickets to make a few cents. He thought his Worship might let them go after cautioning them that this was not a proper way to make money.

Inspector O'Sullivan stated that there was a previous conviction against the man.

His Worship said that having a boy to sell the tickets was a favourite trick. The man would be fined \$50 or a month and the boy would be discharged.

THE KOWLOON TRAGEDY.

(Continued from page 4.)

"My wife did not take any part," said defendant in saying he had no question to put to the witness.

Afrado Maria Rosa Pereira, father of the deceased, of 7, Hankow Road, said that his daughter left to go to church a little after 7 a.m.

Witness, replying to the Magistrate, said his daughter was not ordinarily nervous.

"Why I ask you," remarked his Worship, "is that it is such a curious accident to happen."

Miss Maria Pereira, a sister of the deceased, said she went to the house. Her sister was still alive and she asked her what had happened. She replied "The truck ran over me," and said she was hurt in the side. She said, when witness asked her why she had not run out of the way, "I couldn't."

Said Bad Shah, a Sanitary Board cooler, said he was in Nathan Road and saw the truck. It was going fast. The cooler later ran away. He could not identify any of them. He chased them for a few steps but the lady called and said to him "Call a ricksha and put me in."

His Worship asked Sergeant Lannigan what other witnesses there were. At present there was no evidence whatever against the defendant.

Sergeant Lannigan: There is only his own statement, and that of his master, the owner of the truck, whom he told of the accident. The master arrested him and brought him to the station.

His Worship: Presumably he will be able to say that defendant was one of the pullers.

Sergeant Lannigan agreed, and the case was remanded for the evidence of the master.

A "ROGUE AND VAGABOND."

A Chinese was sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment by Mr. Hazeland this morning as being a rogue and vagabond.

Mr. J. P. Robertson said he heard that the defendant was sleeping in No. 13 Austin Avenue. He did not know how he got up to the house.

Sergeant Caygill said the defendant could not give an account of himself and had no money.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman, V.D.

RESIGNATION.

Private L. L. Goldenberg is permitted to resign, on leaving the Colony, dated 25.11.16.

PARADES.

Parades for Saturday, 27th instant: 7 a.m. Signalling Section—Signalling practice at Headquarters.

PARADES FOR NEXT WEEK.

The Right Section M.G. Co. and Scouts Company will parade on Monday, 29th instant.

The remainder will parade on Tuesday, 30th instant.

DETAILS.

Gun Club Hill, Kowloon—

On duty until morning of 30th inst.

H.K.V.R.

Prisoners of War Camp—

On duty until morning of 30th inst.

H.K.V.R.

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE.

MUSTER.

Nov. 23th—Blake Pier 9 a.m.—No. 1 Platoon, No. 1 Company, also all men of No. 2 Platoon, No. 1 Company who have not fired.

Nov. 23th—Blake Pier 1 p.m.—No. 3 Platoon, No. 1 Company, also men of No. 4 Platoon, No. 1 Company who have not fired, also men of whole of No. 2 Company who have not fired, and of Band and Orchestra.

Dec. 5th—Blake Pier 9 a.m.—Captains and Teams taking part in H. E. the Governor's Inter-Platoon Tilt Shooting Competition. N. C. Officers not taking part may attend. Names of Teams to be sent to Ministry Inspector on or before Dec. 1st.

JOINED.

No. 1 Platoon, No. 1 Company—H. Murphy, G. Rapp.  
Ambulance Platoon—Lam Cheung To.  
P. O. Murphy will do Harbour Patrol Duty.

(Sgd.) F. C. JAMES.  
D. E. P. (Secretary).

SEQUEL TO EXTRADITION  
PROCEEDINGS.

The case for the Crown, in connection with a writ of Habeas Corpus following upon the committal of Han Shui Lung on an extradition warrant, was concluded to-day.

Mr. E. H. Sharp, K.C., said it was not competent on that Court to question the bona fides of requisition of a friendly Government, all the safeguards provided in the Home and local acts were based upon one principle, which so far as Counsel knew, could not be distributed, when they once had a clear recognition from that Government, a statement of its obligations, an undertaking, a proof of its law, then it became a matter of good faith and a good faith which could not be questioned.

The Chief Justice said if the Bench were to decide—and they were perfectly competent on the point—the Counsel's contention was sound, it seemed, generally speaking, that it would be hopeless ever again to question the existence of a political offence for extradition and Section 4 became practically superfluous. Therefore, the Court would have to proceed with great care on that point.

Mr. Sharp dwelt on the question at length and went on to say that the original requisition from Governor-General Lung asked for the fugitive's surrender on three charges, but since two of the charges had been dropped, the Governor had requested the Chinese Government to restrict the requisition to the one matter for which the fugitive was being extradited. There could be no cavelling on that. Counsel went on to read the new undertaking by General Lung in which he (General Lung) would call upon the British Consul General to watch the trial of the fugitive on the charge for which he was extradited and that the fugitive would be punished for that crime only. Hongkong in its extradition relations with China, they had always proceeded upon by a given undertaking, for obvious reasons. If the Court on the evidence—which had been sent down to establish a prima facie case—found the prisoner not guilty, Counsel contended the Court would have no jurisdiction to question the good faith of the Chinese Government. Their Lordships must assume that a Chinese tribunal would discharge the man if he was found "not guilty."

Mr. Justice Gompertz said that it might be added that a Chinese court would have greater facilities for a view at the truth of the case.

Mr. Sharp said he did not know if ever a case had been more analysed in spirit than when it was analysed by the final tribunal. That case was one in which more evidence was wanted. The undertakings, Counsel went on, were matters between the Executive of the two Governments, though Counsel did not suggest that their Lordships had nothing to do with it—and if it should be that there was any mess, any weak point, it was for the local Government to approach the Chinese Government and point out that the requisition did not question to-and-so. Counsel thought their Lordships could point out to the Executive that an undertaking did not govern certain contingencies. Mr. Justice Gompertz said that supposing their Lordships were of the opinion that the Magistrate was in fact wrong, and that the legal right of the prisoner was violated by his refusal to inform the fugitive of his condition—of course it might have been an illegal act—there might have been certain consequences, would any of those consequences be that the committal warrant was bad and therefore the prisoner must be discharged?

Mr. Sharp said he had not overlooked the point. The Magistrate had clearly decided, and had informed the fugitive that the legal course would be pursued and that he had communicated that decision to the Governor. The Magistrate had discharged the duty the Ordinance placed upon him. It would have been a very different thing if the Magistrate had refused to decide.

The Chief Justice observed that it was not the Magistrate's duty to inform the fugitive of his opinion.

Mr. Sharp contended that the committal warrant was correct.

The Chief Justice said he was of opinion the Magistrate should inform the fugitive of his decision, whether that was fatal to the case or not was another matter.

Counsel held it would be a proper matter to tell the fugitive but added it would be a ludicrous result if the fugitive was discharged by a curable omission of the Magistrate.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

It was announced to-day that the Criminal Sessions would be adjourned until Wednesday morning instead of Tuesday as announced yesterday. Special and common jurors will be notified accordingly.

The Chief Justice said the proceedings under a writ of Habeas Corpus now occupying the Court's attention, must finish on Tuesday in any event.

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## BY TELEGRAPH.

## THE WAR.

IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT  
SALONIKA.FRANCE'S TRIBUTE TO  
RUSSIAN ARMY'S SPLENDID  
PERFORMANCES.

## CANADA'S GIFT TO RUSSIA.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

WHAT THE ALLIES ARE DOING AT  
SALONIKA.

## SIGNIFICANT HAPPENINGS.

Zurich, Nov. 25.  
Austrian reports indicate that the Allies intend to remain a long time at Salonika. Heavy guns and machinery for an electric power station have been landed and contracts have been made for the erection of extensive barracks.

## BULGARIANS FURIOUS WITH ROUMANIA.

London, Nov. 25.  
A Sofia telegram states that the Bulgarians are furious because Roumania is refusing the through transit of goods into Bulgaria.

## THE ALLIES AND GREECE.

No Greek Troops in the Allies' Zone.

London, Nov. 25.  
Reuter's Agency is informed that the Allies' action at Athens was based on a desire not to make the position more difficult, while safeguarding the Allies' interests. Hence they had not demanded Greece to demobilise her army, but it had been proposed that Greek troops should not be at present in the zone of the Allies' activities.

RUSSIAN ARMY'S SPLENDID PERFORMANCES.  
RECOGNITION BY THE FRENCH CABINET.

Paris, Nov. 25.  
The splendid performances of the Russian Army, under the Tsar and the new Chief of Staff, are being recognised by the French Cabinet, who are conferring the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honour on General Alexieff.

It is announced that General Pau will proceed to Russia personally to present the insignia.

## CANADA'S GIFT TO RUSSIA.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.  
The Dominion Government's offer of \$50,000 (gold) to equip a hospital for Russian wounded has been accepted by the Tsar.

## WAR COUNCIL.

London, Nov. 25.  
Sir Edward Grey (Secretary for Foreign Affairs) and Mr. Chamberlain (Secretary of State for India) attended the War Council to-day.

## PERSIAN AFFAIRS.

Petrograd, Nov. 25.  
A telegram from Tashkent says the Persian Government has informed the Russian and British Ministers that in view of the establishment of friendly relations between Russia and Persia the proposed transference of the capital has been abandoned.

## WESTERN FRONT.

Paris, Nov. 25.  
A communique states: There has been the usual cannonades at night and bombing in Artois and Lorraine.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

## BELGIUM'S REIGN OF TERROR.

Paris, Nov. 25.  
Mlle. Bonkin, sister of the Belgian Minister for the Colonies, has been arrested at Brussels. She has devoted herself, since the beginning of the war, to assisting the wives and children of Belgian soldiers.

## AGRICULTURE AND RECRUITING.

London, Nov. 25.  
In the House of Lords, when discussing agricultural recruiting, Lord Lansdowne said that agriculture was a basic industry the collapse of which it was impossible to contemplate. The Government realised the urgency of the matter and had endeavoured to prevent exhaustive depletion.

## I.C.S. SCHOLARSHIPS.

London, Nov. 25.  
In the House of Commons, in reply to Sir J. D. Bess, who asked whether more Indian Civil Service scholarships would be awarded in circumstances similar to those of the scholar Hardyal, Mr. Chamberlain, Secretary of State for India, said he was not prepared to suggest that all scholarships should be suspended because one scholar had turned out badly.

## OBITUARY.

London, Nov. 25.  
The deaths are announced of Mr. Francis Ellis, C.M.G., a former Governor of North Borneo, and Governor-Agent of the Western Province of Ceylon; and of the Hon. Sir Schomberg McDonnell, G.C.V.O., K.C.B., Secretary to H.M. Office of Works.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

ENTENTE ALLIES AND  
GREECE.

## THE ENTENTE DEMANDS.

Athens, Nov. 25.  
The Government reserves certain details for further examination. The declaration that the parts of Greece occupied by the Allies will be restituted in due course and reasonable damages paid, has favourably impressed the Government, which has friendly dispositions towards the Allies.

## GREEK REPLY TO NOTE.

Athens, Nov. 25.  
The Government has replied to the Entente Note. It is understood that it accepts the demand regarding no disarmament of the Allies forces, and their liberty of action in Greek territory with a view to their security, and railway and telegraph facilities.

SITUATION DEVELOPING  
FAVOURABLY.

Athens, November 25.  
The situation is developing so favourably that the Greek steamers held up at Malta have been released, and difficulties are no longer placed in the way of the transmission of Greek commercial cables.

THE DARDANELLES  
OPERATIONS.STATEMENT BY MR. ASHMEAD  
BARTLETT.

London, Nov. 24.  
Mr. Ashmead Bartlett, the war correspondent who was with the forces in the Dardanelles, in a letter to the Times on Mr. Churchill's Dardanelles speech, says that we embarked on the enterprise in ignorance of the enemy's defences, believing that the Queen Elizabeth's guns would destroy the forts in the Narrows. He declares that the net result of the operations against the outer forts was to prove that the damage inflicted by the ship's shells was relatively unimportant unless a direct hit was scored on a gun. The interval between the fall of the outer works on February 25th and the battle of March 18th was occupied in mine-sweeping with little success. Before the Fleet attempted to force the Straits the passage had to be cleared through a triple minefield below the Narrows; otherwise, there would have been a risk of an unprecedented naval disaster. This was obviously the right moment to withdraw. Lord Fisher then became sceptical of the whole enterprise. Mr. Ashmead Bartlett declares that Churchill's references to Lord Fisher are irreconcilable with the action of March 18th, which was not an attempt to force the Narrows, but merely to attempt to clear the minefield.

The Times says that whereas the disaster which occurred shows that it would have been impossible to force the Straits that day, the Turkish official account of the attack says the damage done to the forts was practically nil. Nevertheless, Mr. Churchill wished to reverse the naval attack. Apparently, Lord Fisher and the Naval and Military authorities on the spot saved the Fleet from an unparalleled disaster.

Mr. Ashmead Bartlett adds that throughout March 18th the Queen Elizabeth was a long way up the Straits amongst drifting mines, one of which actually knocked out the Inflexible of the same division and on the same alignment.

## THE NEED FOR ECONOMY.

London, Nov. 24.  
In the House of Commons, Mr. Asquith affirmed that the Government would not hesitate to adopt the means they thought proper and effective to impress upon every class of the community the need for rigorous economy.

50,000 MORE MEN FROM  
AUSTRALIA.

Melbourne, Nov. 24.  
The Hon. Thomas Hughes states that Australia's new contingent of 50,000 men will be raised voluntarily.

## SITUATION IN INDIA.

## Official Statement.

London, Nov. 25 (7).  
Received Nov. 25, 9.35 p.m.  
Replying in the House of Commons to Sir Edwin Cernvall, who asked regarding unfavourable reports respecting India whether there was any information, so to these being of enemy origin, Mr. Chamberlain said: I do not know to what reports the hon. member refers, therefore I am unable to offer an opinion as to their origin. As regards the general condition in India the information I have is that it is substantially satisfactory. Such difficulties as have arisen had their origin in movements outside India or in an effort by a small group of extremists who do not reflect the sentiment of the great mass of the people, and many of whom are fugitives from justice. In northern India, where concerted attempts have been made by members of an anti-British Association, with headquarters in the United States, to disturb the peace, tamper with the troops and upset the Government, the active loyalty of the people has been shown by the resistance which they have voluntarily offered, and by the aid which they gave the Civil Power. My information is that the Raj have the situation well in hand.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

## EASTERN FRONT.

## RISK FIGHTING.

Petrograd, Nov. 25.  
A communique states that there has been brisk fighting on the Riga front, west of Lake Naugher, where the Germans were forced back. There have been minor actions near Ilukst, Lake Szenton and on the Sty.

## INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

## Bill Passes Third Reading.

## LONDON, Nov. 24.

In the House of Commons the Indian Civil Service Bill was not amended in committee and afterwards passed its third reading.

A brief discussion took place on an amendment by Sir J. D. Rees intended to enable the appointment during the war of candidates who had served with the forces of the Crown.

Sir J. D. Rees said he gathered that Mr. Chamberlain did not intend to make appointments under the Bill during the war. Thus there seemed to be a disparity between the objects of the Bill and the expressed intentions of the Secretary of State. He himself was anxious that such appointments should be made. There must be many candidates who are invalided home and unfit for further service, but who are well suited for sedentary duties in the Indian Civil Service. The amendment applied outside the one fourth, both to Indians and Europeans. There were many gallant Indian gentlemen fighting for us who, by educational qualifications, quite equal to the class which now carried out those appointments.

Mr. Chamberlain said his reason for not desiring to make appointments under the Bill during the war was that until the length and effects of the war were known it was impossible to frame regulations for men who served with the forces. He did not want to frame regulations under which a selection would be made during the war or to make such selections. The object of the Bill was to preserve as far as possible under extraordinary conditions the ordinary rights of competitors, both Indian and European. If the same conditions were laid down for both there would be very different results.

Mr. Chamberlain said it would be unfair to the Indians to impose conditions which circumstances beyond their control might prevent them fulfilling. There must be special provisions for them. The amendment would not produce the effect upon which Sir J. D. Rees laid the greatest stress, namely, that an emergency measure of this kind was not a suitable occasion for changing the whole basis of entry into the Civil Service.

## The amendment was withdrawn.

## TURKISH POSITION CAPTURED.

## 800 PRISONERS TAKEN.

London, Nov. 24.  
The Press Bureau announces that after a night march from Zeur, which was occupied on the 19th inst., General Townsend's division attacked the Turkish position at Otesiphon, eighteen miles from Bagdad, on the 22nd, and captured it after severe fighting all day, taking 800 prisoners and large quantities of arms and equipment.

Our loss was 2,000 killed and wounded. General Townsend's force and the General Headquarters bivouacked on the captured position. They were heavy counter-attacks on Tuesday night, all of which were repulsed, but want of water on the 24th necessitated a retirement to a river three to four miles below the captured position.

## GERMAN CLAIMS.

London, Nov. 24.  
A German communique states that Mitrovitz and Pristina have been captured by the Austrians and Germans respectively.

## ITALIANS' IMPORTANT CAPTURES.

Rome, Nov. 25.  
A communique states: Violent Austrian counter-attacks at Coldjiana, Zagora and Osavia were all repulsed. At one point the Austrians left 300 dead. The Italians achieved a brilliant success in the Monte and San Michele regions, where they captured extensive franchises and one summit. At a Church at San Martino the defenders were surrounded, and the Italians captured 614 prisoners and large quantities of supplies, munitions and war material.

Italian aeroplanes bombed Alcovizza, Aidusina and other points, and returned safely.

## LABOUR AND FINANCE.

London, Nov. 25.  
Mr. Asquith, Mr. Buxton and Mr. McKenna will address the Trade Union Executives and officials in London on December 1st, when the latter will consider the financial position of the nation as affecting organised labour.

## GERMAN FABRICATIONS.

London, Nov. 19 (7).  
Received, Nov. 25, 9.12 p.m.  
Another story circulated by the German Press for the benefit of neutral countries is that of the deposition of a Nizam by his people. The India Office to-day publishes a categorical denial of the statement.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

## COMMAND OF WESTERN FORCES.

## LONDON, Nov. 24.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Asquith informed Sir George Robertson that he did not consider it advisable to place the whole of the British and French forces on the Western front under one supreme commander.

GERMANY'S COTTON SPINNING  
AND WEAVING INDUSTRIES  
CEASE.

## LONDON, Nov. 25.

The Frankfurter Zeitung says that the cotton spinning and weaving industries of Germany are practically no more, and no materials can be obtained except for any purposes.

## ATTACKS ON SIR JOHN FRENCH.

## Denounced in the House of Lords.

## LONDON, Nov. 25.

In the House of Lords, the Duke of Marlborough denounced the fierce attacks on Field Marshal Sir John French who, he said, was endeared both to his own and the French officers. He was a fighting man with the heart and energy of a schoolboy.

Earl Selborne endorsed this tribute in the fullest possible manner.

## JAPANESE COTTON TRADE.

## Questions in the Commons.

## LONDON, Nov. 25.

In the House of Commons, in reply to a question by Sir J. Rees regarding the increase in exports of raw cotton from India to Japan, and of the imports of cotton and piece goods to India from Japan, Mr. Chamberlain said that he had no information that the Japanese Government gives bounties in respect to these exports. If Sir John Rees had proof he would be glad to have it.

SERBIAN GOVERNMENT MOVES  
TO SCUTARI.

Paris, Nov. 25.  
An official telegram from Prirend states that the Serbian Government has moved to Scutari.

## ARTILLERY ACTIONS.

## French Gaining the Advantage.

## PARIS, Nov. 25.

A communique states: There have been strong artillery actions in Artois. Arras station being bombarded, also at Loos. There has been an artillery duel at Soissons, in Champagne and in the Vosges. The French have obtained the advantage everywhere.

TRIAL OF "HAPAG" OFFICIALS  
IN AMERICA.

## LONDON, Nov. 25.

At the resumption of the trial of the Hamburg-America officials, Captain Falkenberg stated that he conveyed 2,000 tons of coal, and a large amount of provisions on a steamer flying the American flag to German warships soon after the outbreak of war.

Consent for the defence acknowledged that the "Hapag" had spent a million dollars in chartering, supplying and coaling vessels for the relief of German cruisers.

## AUSTRALIA'S HARVEST.

## MELBOURNE, Nov. 25.

The Railway Department estimates that the Victorian harvest will be 82,500,000 bushels.

## SPORTING.

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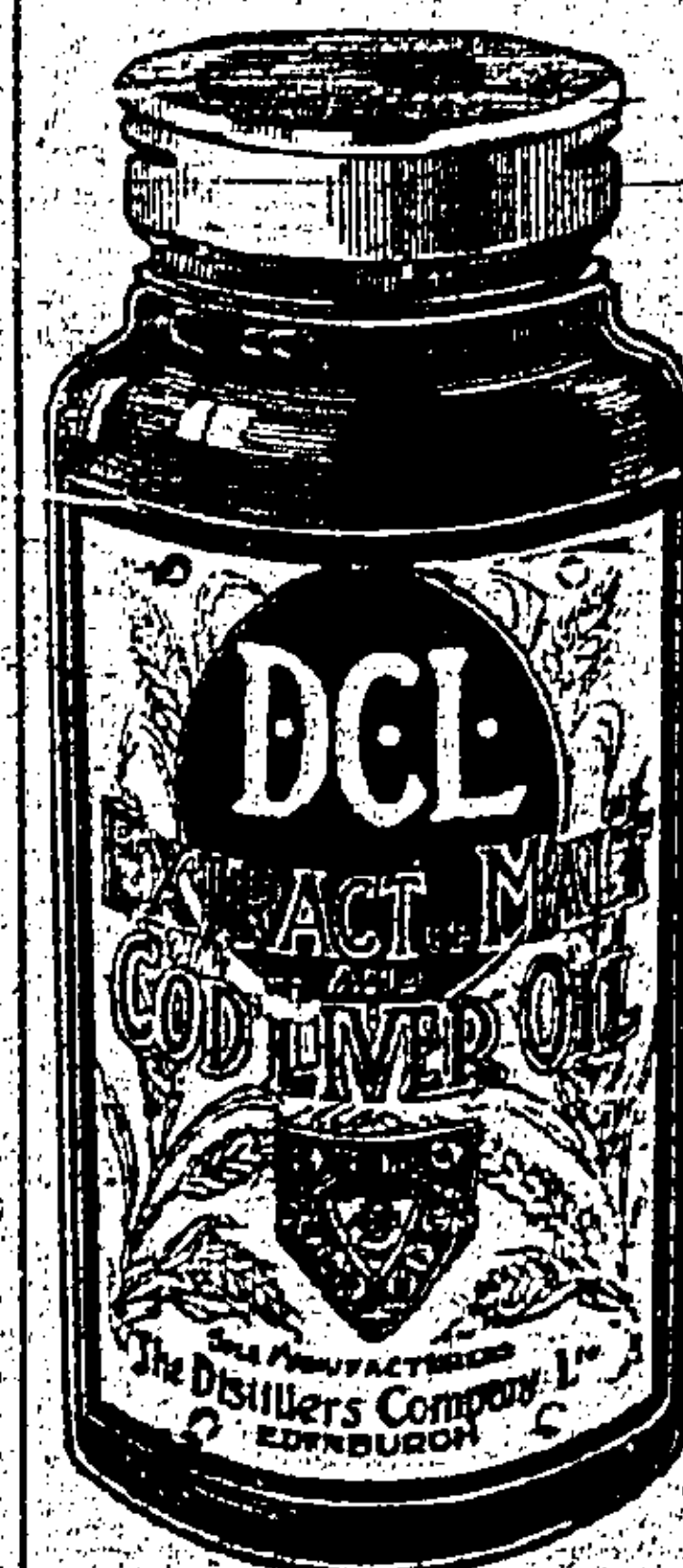
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